

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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For: <b>Dry Powder Cells and Cell Culture Reagents and Methods of Production Thereof</b>	

**Amendment and Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

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Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated **May 31, 2006**, Applicants submit the following  
Amendment and Remarks.

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